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Re: U.S. Application 10/716,316

Dear Sir/Madam,

Attached is a copy of an Amendment and Response and its associated documents filed on 8/3/07. In a telephone conversation with the undersigned on 10/9/07, Examiner Werner indicated that the Amendment documents cannot be located but the submitted credit card charge has been processed by the PTO. The Examiner suggested that a copy of the documents be faxed to the Examiner and another copy to be faxed to the USPTO's main fax number.

Accordingly, attached is a copy of the Return Receipt Post Card, the Amendment and Response, the Petition for Extension of Time, and the Transmittal that was mailed on 8/3/07. Please note that this is just a courtesy copy and not a new submission as the return receipt post card lists the submitted documents and shows 8/8/07 as the date that USPTO has received the documents. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned.

Regards,
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Serial/Patent No.: 10/716.316

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Applicant(s): Xiaochun Nie et al.

Title: METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING AN IMPROVED RATE CONTROL

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Title: METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING AN IMPROVED RATE CONTROL
FOR A MULTIMEDIA COMPRESSION AND ENCODING SYSTEM

The following has been received by the U.S. PTO on the date stamped hereon:

1. Transmittal (2 pages)
2. Amendment and Response (18 pages)
3. Credit card payment (1 page)
4. Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages)



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application for:

Xiaochun Nie, et al.

Serial No.: 10/716,316

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For: METHOD OF IMPLEMENTING
IMPROVED RATE CONTROL FOR A
MULTIMEDIA COMPRESSION AND
ENCODING SYSTEM

Examiner: David N Werner

Group Art Unit: 2621

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO AN OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

In complete response to the Office Action dated 04/03/2007, attached please find:

1. An Amendment and Response to the Office Action;
2. A Credit Card Payment Form;
3. A petition for Extension of Time; and
4. A Return Receipt Post Card.

The PTO did not receive the following
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The fee has been calculated as follows:

FOR	NUMBER	NUMBER OVER ALLOTMENT	RATE	CALCULATIONS
ADDED CLAIMS	4	18-20=0	x \$50.00	
ADDED INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	6-4=2	2x \$200.00	\$400.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$360.00	
<u>1</u> MONTH PETITION FOR EXTENSION FOR REPLY				\$120.00
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Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). The Applicant hereby states that it qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27				
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3804.

Respectfully submitted,

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